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Government of India.
Ministry of Irrigation and Power.

No. DW.II-5(548) New Delhi, the 8th August, 1953.

EXPRESS LETTER.

To

The Secretary to the Govt. of Bombay,
Public Works Department
Bombay.

Subject:- Allottment of work of construction of Canals to Co.operative Societies.

Kindly intimate whether the Govt. of Bombay have introduced or are contemplating to introduce the scheme of alloting work of construction of canals to Co.operative Societies instead of Contractors on the Ghataprabha, Gangapur Projects. If the scheme is in force, it may please be stated whether it has been successful.

The information is required in connection with a Parliament question. A reply by the 15th August '53 will therefore be appreciated.

Sd/-
(S. Venkataraman).
Under Secretary to the Govt. of India.

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Please see the Govt. of India letter requesting for information regarding allotment of work of construction of canals on the Ghataprhha and Gangapur Projects to Co.operative societies.

2. In this connection it may be stated that Govt. have not introduced the shheme of alloting the entire work of construction of canals to co.operative societies on Ghataprahha and Gangapur Projects. The works are being let out on regular contracts according the established practice of Govt. in case of the Ghatprahha canals. Re;- Gangapur works :- The eafth work of dam etc. has been carried out departmenally by machinery. However in the case of monor works costing upto Rs 20,000/- such labour co.operative Societies as are approved by the Register of co.operative Societies or the Dy. Register of the Division are given a trial and works as are within their capabilities are entrusted to them at the estimated rates without calling for tenders and under the supervision of the P.W.D. Works costing mofe than Rs 20,000/- are put to tender and if in such cases tenders are submitted by co.operative societies, their tenders are preferred subject to the conditions laid down in G.R. No. CAT 1152 dated the 30.4. 53, In the circumstances as stated above the Govt. of India may be informed as per draft put up for approval.

Thp' D.E.(I)

Id/-
12.8.53.

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Ascertain on the phone from Ghataprabha and Gangapur how many piece works have so far been given to coop. societies and how many tanders.

Id/-

13-8-53.

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Resubmitted with reference to the Secy's note dated the 13.8.53.

2. The Ex. Engr. Gangapur Storage Dn. has intimated that no piece works are given to co.operative Societies in connection with the work on Gangapur Project.

3. As regards piece works on the Ghataprabha L.B. canal Prbject the Ex. Engr. Ghataprabha L.B. canal Dn. No.1, intimates that 3 works have been given out by his Dn. to labour co.operative Societies costing Rs 28,663/- and 8 works costing Rs 35,000/- have been given to the weavers labour co.operative Society by the G.L.B. C.Dn. No.2. All these 11 works totally ammunting to Rs 63, 663/- have been given by private negotiation.

4. In addition to the above, 4 works have been given to labour Co.operative Society by negotiations for Rs 64,669/- and one work to the labour co.operative Society for Rs 24,647/- after inviting public tenders .The cost of these, 5 works totally amount to Rs 89,316/-

In all 16 works totally amounting to Rs 1,52,979/- have been given to Co.operative Societies. A revised draft is accordingly put up and may issue, if approved.

Thro' D.E.(I).

Id/-
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Secy.
Id/-
14.8.53.

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Public Works Department,
Bombay Castle(Bombay No.1),
14th August 1953.

From,

Shri M.S. Chakravarti B.E.A.M.I.E .(India),
Deputy Secretary tothe Government of Bombay,
Public Works Department.

To

The Under Secretary to the Government of India,
Ministry of Irrigation and Power,
New Delhi.

Subject:- Allotment of work of construction of canals on Ghataprabha and Gangapur Projects to Co.operative Societies.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter, No.D.W.-II 5(548), dated the 8th August 1953, on the subject mentinned above, and to state that the works on the Ghataprabha Canal Project are being let out on regular contracts in accordance with the established practice of this Government. However, sixteen minor works of this project totally amounting to Rs 1,52,979/- have so far been given to Co.operative Societies.

In the case of the Gangapur, Dam Project the work is mostly being carried out Departmentally by means of machinery.

2. Further, I am to state that this Government has approved the system of alloting minor works costing upto Rs 20,000/-, to labour Co.operative Societies that are approved by the Registrar of Co.operative Societies or the Deputy Registrar of the Division, at the estimated rates, without calling for tenders, and under the supervision of the Public Works Department, provided these works are within their capabilities, works costing more than Rs 20,000/- are put to tender and if, in such

cases, tenders are submitted by Co.operative Societies their tenders are preferred provided they are within 5 per cent of the lowest acceptable tender and the Society has carried out other Government works satisfactorily and possesses sound financial rescources, technical personnel.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-
Deputy Secretary to the Government
of Bombay, Public Works Department.

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14.8.53.